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In re Application of: Manfred Bartz, Marat Zhaksilikov and Douglas H. Anderson

Application No.: 09/ 989,765

Examiner: Nguyen, Maikhanh

Filed: 11/19/01

Art Unit: 2176

Confirmation No.: 2082

For: A USER INTERFACE FOR EFFICIENTLY BROWSING AN ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT USING DATA-DRIVEN TABS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is a response to a restriction requirement for this application

☒ Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action for the above identified patent application.
(2 sheets)
Transmitted herewith are sheets of drawings.

2. Applicant is other than a small entity

Extension of Term

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(a) [] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
(fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

<u>Extension</u>	<u>Fee</u>
[] one month	\$110.00
[] two months	\$430.00
[] three months	\$938.00
[] four months	\$1,530.00

Fee \$

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(b) [X] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

Fee Calculation

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(for other than a small entity)					
Fee Items	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number of Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra Claims	Fee Rate	Total
Total Claims	34	- 34 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	- 4 =	0	x \$88.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee (one or more, first added by this amendment)				\$300.00	\$0.00
Total Fees					\$0.00

PAYMENT OF FEES

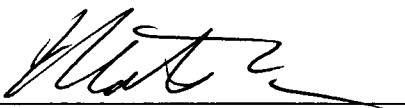
5. The full fee due in connection with this communication is provided as follows:
- [x] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 23-0085.
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 17, 2004, please consider the following remarks.

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Examiner: Nguyen, Maikhanh

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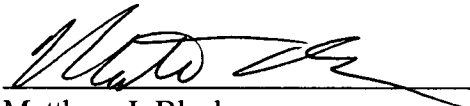
In the Office Action mailed September 17, 2004, the Examiner states that the present Application contains two patentably distinct inventions. The Examiner is requiring the Applicants to elect a single disclosed invention for examination. Specifically, the Examiner is requiring the Applicants to elect between a first invention, Invention I, recited in Claims 1-30; and a second invention, Invention II, recited in Claims 31-34.

Applicants elect without traverse Invention I, recited in Claims 1-30.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative if the Examiner believes such action would expedite resolution of the present Application.

Respectfully submitted,
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